# NEWS FROM ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS

# EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND

Who is Going and Coming-Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties.

# NEW LONDON COUNTY | visitor in New London and at Golden

LEDYARD How Children's Day Was Observed by Congregational and Baptist Sunday Schools-Recent Visitors in Local

Children's day was observed in the Baptist and Congregational churches

Emptist and Congregational churches Sunday morning.
Following is the programme of the Congregational church: True Patriots, a service for Children's Day; hymn, We March to Victory; prayer by pastor; hymn, Gladness and Gratitude; responsive reading, Supt. John M. Gray and the congregation: recitation, Pannie Gray and Ray D. Holdridge; singing, Miss Addia Whipple's class, eight little girls; hymn, Can a Little Child Like Me; recitations, Gertic Pierce and Mabel Maine; reading, Bertha Weiman; hymn, Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart; responsive rading, led by superintendent; recitation, Miss Maragret ntendent: recitation, Miss Maragret n; reading, Miss Addie Whipple; n; God of Our Fathers: responsive ing; recitations, Carrie Finnegan, y E. Pierce, Sarah Gray, reading, W. F. White; hymn, The Son of Goes Forth to War; recitations, White, Mildred Austen, Elmer solo, Miss Addie Whipple; g. Miss Anna Welman: diareading, Miss Anna Weiman: dialogue, four little girls; hymn, Our Country's Voice is Pleading; reading, Miss Luna Ackley; recitations, Elsie Main, Robert Avery, Edith Austen; hymn, O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee; duet, Miss Eloise White and Mr.

#### Burton: recitation, Agnes Austen; ad-dress by pastor; offering; hymn, Amer-At Baptist Church.

At Baptist Church.

Following is the programme of the Baptist church exercises: Serving to Save, a Children's Day service; hymn, A Song of Greeting; responsive scripture reading, school and congregation; prayer by the pestor; hymn, The Message of Love Divine; recitations, Welcome, Violet Main: We Welcome You, Raymond Allen: singing, The Temple Hosanna; recitation, The Children's Crusade, Violet Latham; reading, What is Best? Mrs. A. J. Clark; singing, Lilles and Roses; address by pastor; is Best? Mrs. A. J. Clark; singing, Lilles and Roses; address by pastor; reading, My Mission, E. Whipple; recitations. The Giver of All. Eva Rogers; Growing Better, Bertha Latham; Live for Something, Irving Maynard; singing, Ring Out, Ye Bells; recitations, What the Flowers Say, three girls; A Little Verse, Mabel Williams; What the Flowers Say, Marion Pierce; reading, E. Whipple; singing, The Message of Love Divine; banediction.

#### General News.

Emmons White, son of Rev. and Mrs. W. F. White, is at home from Yale inversity to spend his summer vaca-

Taftville were Sunday guests of Mr. Miss Delia Lachappelle of this villags. and Mra. William J. Allyn.

John R. Gray of New London spent
Saturday night and Sunday with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos M. Gray entertained Sunday Captain John Forsythe
of Mystic, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel White
and family of Stonington and Dr. and
Mrs. N. G. Gray and Miss Bennett of
Norwich.

### NORTH STONINGTON

Illustrated Lecture on African Mission ary Work-Children's Day Exercises -Bindless-Brown Wedding Set for

Mrs. Bunker, now living in Massa-chusetts, but fermerly, with her hus-band, a missionary in Africa, and her family of five children spent Sunday as the guests of Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Hollester. Sunday evening the oldest son, Paul Bunker, gave in the Congre-gational church a fine stereopticon dis-miny of African scenes. Mrs. Bunker, play of African scenes. Mrs. Bunker briefly described their work among the Zulus and the children sang a Zulu

with the exception of the Ashwillett school, the schools throughout the town have closed.
Allen W. York, a student at Yale university, has arrived home for the summer vacation.

Children's Day at Baptist Church. Children's day was observed in the Saptist church at the morning service, recitations and class exercises by the primary and intermediate classes of the Sunday school being the feature of the observance. Rev. J. H. Adams made an address.

Miss Dora T. Maine has been visit-ing in Providence for a few days.

Afternoon Tea.

The Ladies' society of the Baptist church gave an afternoon tea Wednes-day at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hil-Mrs. William J. Dawson of Savan-nah, Ga., is visiting her parents, Col. and Mrs. James F. Brown.

Wedding Set for June. 24. and Mrs. James F. Brown have invitations for the wedding of youngest daughter, Miss Helen ye Brown, and Frank Miner Bindloss of Myssic on the evening of Sat-urday, June 24, at half past seven

### OXOBOXO.

#### George Lewis Sells Farm-Miss Odgers' Pupils Held Closing Exercises.

George Lewis has sold his farm thown as the Japhet Chapel home-stead and purchased a tract of land of Mrs. Charles Gardner. Amos Case of Colchester is working for Chapman Brothers, drawing logs. Charles Geisthardt has bought a large timber lot of James Manwar-Martin Brainard, former town clerk,

#### was a caller in this place Thursday. Close of School.

School in district No. 3 closed the 15th, taught by Miss Clara Odgers of Norwich. Closing exercises were attended by a large number of parents and friends, who were much pleased by the progress made by the children.

Jabez Bailey and George Champlin have the contract to move a large building from Walnut Hill for George Lewis, to be orected as a house.

Orrin Gardner is moving Mr. Lester's furneture from Norwich to the Bolandor critage.

Edward Reynolds and John Ross are building a cottage near the Lake for a Norwich owner. John Merriman of McKeesport, Pa.

doing the work on the Reynolds as Ethel Champlin was a recent

#### VOLUNTOWN.

Foresters, Participate in Danielson Parade-Social Notes-Pirates Walk Away With Turtles-Greeneville Man Wins Local Bride.

About 30 members of Court Liberty, No. 132, F. of A., of this village, journeyed to Danielson Sunday to take part in the Memorial day exercises and parade. Court Liberty was given the place of honor in the line and headed by the guards under Captain Dupont made an excellent impression.

Children's Day Exercises.

Children's day was observed at the Baptist church Sunday, there being a large attendance at the services. The Rev. L. W. Frink of Norwich was the preacher.

The Home Whist club met Tuesday The Home Whist club met Tuesday evening. Prizes were awarded as follows: First ladies' prize, Miss Bertha Lewis; second ladies', Mrs. E. E. Clarke; first gentlemen's, E. E. Clarke; second, John N. Lewis.
Flag day was noted in town by many citizens displaying Old Glory.

# Box Social. On Wednesday evening there was a large gathering at the box social held under the suspices of the Ladles' Aid society at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Grover. A large number of handsomely decorated and well filled boxes

somely decorated and well filled boxes brought good prices. Herbert Johnson was the auctioneer. After the boxes were disposed of a pleasant evening was spent playing games, etc. Harmony orchestra. W. Richards, leader, rendered several selections in a pleasing manner. A good sum was added to the treasury as a result. Not Snapping, But Sleepy Turtles.

On Saturday last the Pirates of Jewett City made an attack on Manager Earl's Turtles on the local grounds and created havoc amongst them, defeating them in an easy manner, 15 to The Turties go to Sterling today (Saturday)

## To Macadamize Road.

Contractor Eldridge has put men to work taking down the bank at Beachdale Corner in preparation for the macadamizing of the road from the schoolhouse to the home of Ezri Briggs.

#### Close of School.

The grammar school closed for the summer vacation Friday with special exercises. The school has made good progress under the following teachers: Principal, Mrs. Annie B. Andrews in charge of senior department; Miss Hazel Backus, intermediate department; Miss Lenora K. Dunleavy, primary, department.

Miss Rose Cadoran and Master Paul Guilbeault of Turner's Falls, Mass., are

Guilbeault of Turner's Falls, Mass., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rischotte. Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Prindle of Preston City were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Holloway and family and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hewitt of Norwich were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Maine were in Norwich Saturday.

Jeffield Lacasse of Greeneville was in town on Saturday and Sunday.

On Sunday the banns of marriage were published at St. Thomas' church of Jeffield Lacasse of Greeneville and Mrs. and Mrs. Wilbur Baldwin of Mrs. Delia Lachappelle of this village.

### HANOVER

#### Rev. E. P. Ayer to Exchange With Pastor-Food Sale and Concert Well Patronized-Schools Close.

Norman Standish, Herbert Bennet: and Carroll Peck are camping for a few days on the Pratt Allen farm. Miss Ellen Peck has gone to Cleveland, O., as a secretary of the Young Woman's Christian association. Rev. E. P. Ayer of North Guilford will preach have next Sunday in ex-change with the pastor. «Mrs. Roger Peck and two children, lean and Anna, have arrived for the Jean and Anna, have arrived for the summer at the home of James W. Food Sale and Concert.

A food sale by the Ladies' guild and A food sale by the Ladies guild and band concert were well patronized on Monday evening. The musicians were chiefly from Celchester and Hanover.

To Speak at Lisbon.
On the programme of the Lisbon conference of churches next Wednesser.

Carroll Peck leaves on Monday for aummer employment at the Highland house, Bethlehem, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Balkcom have returned from Valley Falls, R. I., to their daughter's, Mrs. Edward Bab-

Mrs. Shay of Voluntown is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Thorne. Lawn Fete for Pupils. The schools closed their summer term Friday. Miss Browning's depart-

ment was entertained with a lawn fete by Mrs. Warwick. There were flag decorations, music, ractitations, games and refreshments. The upper grades held their exercises with Miss Litch-field at the school.

### FITCHVILLE

#### Pleasure for Pupils at Close of School -Variety Shower Given Miss East-

The Sixth district school closed last week Friday for the summer vacation.
The children were given a picnic by
the teachers which was greatly enjoyed. The teachers, Miss Mary E. McCarthy, principal, and Mrs. Napoleon Eastland, assistant, were presented pretty sunshades by the pupils.

The Rev. Mr. Fogg of Boston and Miss Emma Holmes of Chesterfield were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis N. Chappell. Mrs. Frank Brooks of Norwich spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Frances

r. and Mrs. Patrick W. Murphy children and Miss Katie A. Murphy of Norwich were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mc-George Adams and son Harold were

in Norwich Wednesday attending the funeral of a friend. Given Variety Shower.

number of the young ladies of the age gathered at the home of Mr. Mrs. Henry Eastland last week

Chorches just Sonday.
George Butler of Plainfield was home
Wednesday to attend the wedding of
his sister. Miss Edith Butler, and

Northfield after visiting relatives in the place.

James Butler is entertaining his brother and family from England.

Miss Adelaide Burdick visited over Sunday with Miss Mary Woodmansee.

Rev. F. A. Holden will preach in the Congregational church next Sunday.

#### NORTH LYME

Sudden Death of Charles Stark, Postmaster for Over 50 Years-Person

Charles Stark died suddenly Mon-day morning. He had been in poor health for several weeks, but was conhealth for several weeks, but was considered better that morning. Death-came while he sat in his chair. The cause of his death was dropsy. He was \$1 years old. Mr. Stark had been prominent in town affairs, was first selectman several years, and had been postmaster here over 50 years. He leaves, beside his wife, one daughter, Mrs. J. G. Ely of Hamburg, and a sister. Mrs. Julia Stark, widow of Lucius Mrs, J. G. Ely of Hamburg, and a sister, Mrs. Julia Stark, widow of Lucius Stark. Mr. Stark died on the seventh anniversary of the death of his brother, David, who resided in the same house. Mrs. Stark is in very feeble health. Mrs. Julia Stark since last fall has buried her husband and a sister, Mrs. Scranton of Middletown, and now her brother. The funeral, which was private, was held at the home of the deceased Wednesday afternoon. deceased Wednesday afternoon.

### Various Interests. Miss Hester Bill of New Rochelle visited at J. L. Raymond's last week. Miss Gladys Stark and Mrs. Walter Gillette of Hast Haddam were callers

Miss Grades Stark and Mrs. Water Gillette of Host Haddam were callers here last Friday. Miss Hattie Leffingwell is assisting Mrs. Fred Miner at Woodbridge farm. Mrs. Julia Chapel of Essex is vis-iting Mrs. William Sisson. Charles Sisson of Winthrop was in

own Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rogers of this place and Mrs. Elia. Kingsley and daughter of Salem are visiting friends in New Jersey.

Deacon A. Stark is recovering from the recent threes.

M. J. Stark was in Chester Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ingalls of Norwich called at J. L. Raymond's Sun-

### day. Miss Lizzie Warren of Providence is visiting Mrs. Julia Stark. LEFFINGWELL

#### Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Beard Entertain in New Home-Various Items.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Beebe, Miss Edith Leffingwell and DeLloyd Beels enjoyed a day's outing in A. H. Beebc's auto Sunday, going to Gardner lake, where they enjoyed dinner, and then to Ocean Beach, New London

### Birthday Party.

About 25 friends of John Rathbone met at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rathbone, Friday evening to celebrate his birthday. A most delightful evening followed. Music was the feature of the evening, Mrs. A. H. Beene being planist. Refresh-ments were served. The party broke up at a late hour, wishing the host many happy returns of the day. Miss Ruth Palmer and Mildred Swan were Sunday guests of friends on the

old Canterbury turnpike.

Warran Nichols and Miss Add
Nichols of Williamtic spent Sunda
with Mr. and Mrs. C. Leland Palmer. A number from this place attended the Children's day exercises at the First Baptist church, Norwich, Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Beard Surerised Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Beard were pleasantly surprised in their new home, the A. W. Gray place, which Mr. Beard recently purchased, Wednesday evening by about 40 of their neighbors and friends. A most delightful evening was spent. Refreshments were served. Mu-sic was enjoyed, Mrs. T. C. Leffingwell and Miss Edith Leffingwell being er-

ganists. Children's day will be observed in the Baptist church tomorrow (Sun-day). A concert will be held in the

### HAMBURG .

#### Loss of Old Lyme Ferrybeat Increases Traffic-Notes

The auto traffic is increased through this town owing to the loss of the ferryboat by lightning the first of the week at Old Lyme. Crossing at Had-lyme or East Haddam is necessary un-

til a boat can be procured.

The schools have closed in the town of Lyme. Supervisor Sadler has been here and completed the work of the first year under the town management

The fishing season for shad i he catch has been considered fair.
J. J. Tiffany and family spent Sunday in Norwich with relatives.
Stanley Dayis has been to North

Hampton.

Hal Martin is spending a short time at Linden Lawn with his parents after his season's work in Ledyard.

Miss Dora Reynolds and Miss Maria Harding attended the Children's day services in Millington last Sunday.

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C. F. Beebe was away on a business trip the past week.

The funeral of Charles Stark, whose death occurred Monday morning, was held at his late nome in Pleasant Valley Wednesday at 2.30. The Rev. E. M. Chapman of Old Lyme officiated. Interment was in Pleasant View Interment was in Pleasant

Mrs. Ellen Palmer has returned from a visit to Ash Lawn farm. H. M. Oakes of England, a brother of the pastor, gave a very interesting talk last Sunday morning.

Miss May Harding spent the week end with her parents in Sterling City

### LEONARD BRIDGE

Engagement of Former Local Man and Brooklyn Young Lady - Brief

Cards have been received announcing the engagement of Simon Valinsky formerly of this place, and Miss Freeda Mazebowsky of Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. E. H. McCall is spending the week in Middletown. Miss Lena Manwaring returns today (Saturday) from Little River, Conn., where she has been teaching the past

year. Mrs. Maurica Valinsky has returned from a visit in Brooklyn. She also at-tended the engagement party of her Mrs. Luther Spaulding and Miss Flora Spaulding spent Thursday in Norwich.

P. Kneeland and daughter were E. P. kneeland and daughter were in Willimantic Wednesday. Rev. A. J. Park attended the fellow-skin meeting at Franklin Wednesday, Mrs. William Clark and son Jason returned to their home in Lebanon af-

ter visiting the former's mother. Mrs. Willis Cardiner. The use of muslin in dairy windows

#### OLD MYSTIC

Missionary Hero Presented at Baptist -Straw Ride-Still Hoping Trolley Extension-Personal

Items.

The Missionary Hero of Labrador was presented Sunday evening at the Baptist church by the members of the Sunday school and choir. The order of exercises follows:

Chorus, The Call for Reapers, choir and school; prayer, Evangelist Albany R. Smith; story, Part I., read by Miss Mande Tinker: chorus, Make Your Life a Blessing, choir and school; story, Part II., read by Frank E. Willlams; solo and chorus, Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me, choir; story, Part III., read by Miss Nora Massey; chorus, There Is Work to Be Done, choir and school; story, Part IV., read by Miss Maude Williams; song, Jesus Bids Us Shine, sung by 12 little girls; story, Part V., read by Miss Etta May Lamphere; song. The Sweet Story of Old, choir; story, Part VI, read by Miss Aldeane Clark; chorus, Love's Beautiful Message, choir and school; story, Part VIII, read by Miss Anna Babcock; chorus, Go, Carry the Message, choir and school; story, Part VIII, read by Miss Anna Babcock; chorus, Go, Carry the Message, choir and school; story, Part VIII, read by Miss Anna Babcock; chorus, Go, Carry the Message, choir and school; story, Part IX, read by Mrs, J. Harold Williams; duet and chorus, Inasmuch, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Montgomery, with chorus by the choir.

The collection amounted to \$14.72. One-half was sent to help on Dr. Grenfell's work at Labrador. The remaining \$7.36 was added to the Baptist library fund to purchase books for the library. The benediction was pronounced by Evangelist Smith, The church was elaborately decorated for the service.

Enjoyable Strawride.

#### the service.

Enjoyable Strawride.

A party of young people took a strawride Wednesday evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha D. Clark of Quiambaug, to give a surprise party to their daughter, Miss Aldeane Clark Refreshments were served during the evening. The guests were Misses Viola Eldredge, Eleanor Cheesbro, Maude Tinker, Helen Williams, Laura Avery, Hazel Clyde, Lean Johnson, Maude Williams, Christine Avery, Esther Barnes Helen Hull, Hester Stafford, Florence Johnson, with Calvin H. Hoxie, Jr., Lawrence Williams, Theodore Johnson, Paul B. Lamphere, Joseph Avery, Clark Barnes, John Crosby, Albertus Brown and Charles Rankin. The young people were chaperoned by Miss Emma Bowker, principal of the Old Mystic schools. Enjoyable Strawride.

Welcoming New Trolley Spur. A year ago Charles Q. Eldredge of Riverview hailed the approach of the trolley to Old Mystic by the firing of cannon and floating of flags. It didn't come quite as quickly as he expected, though his belief in it has been manifest by his trips to Hartford and the many approach to the come of th the many encouraging words he has said to the promoters. Monday morning, as the sun arose over Quoquetaug hill, bunting was floated from the Riverview flagstaff and the big brass cannon, comprising a part of Battery Q, was fired 13 times in glorification of the fact that the trolley line to Old Mystic will be built at once.

The Ladies' Ald society of the Bap-tist church met Wednesday evening with Mrs. J. Harold Williams. The M. E. Sunday school will hold Children's day school will hold The M. E. Sunday school will hold a Children's day concert Sunday evening in the church, conducted by Evangelist Albany R. Smith, who is Responsible to the church of the Mr. and Mrs. Cortland G. Bliven o

Mr. and Mrs. Cortland G. Bliven of Westerly entertained Sunday at their summer home at Pleasant View, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lamphere and son. Paul B. Lamphere of Old Mystic, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watrous of Stonington, Mrs. Anabel Douglass of New London, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Wilcox and Miss Bertha Lamphere of Mystic.

Charles Q. Eldredge of Riverview and Frederick A. Barnes of Oaklawn attended the historical pageant in Riv-erside park, New London, Saturday, Miss Mary McGuire of Albany, N. Y., has been spending a few days at her summer home in the Cox Hill district.

Mr. and Mrs Jeremiah Holmes and son Jeremiah fifth of Bridgeport were Sunday guests of their aunt, Mrs. Jane

Mrs. Charles H. Congdon and daugh-ter-in-law, Mrs. William Congdon of New York, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Chapman. Harold W. Schoonover arrived Wed-

Harold W. Schoonover arrived Wednesday evening from Worcester academy to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus H. Schoonover.

James Norman was in Norwich this week to attend the wedding of his granddaughter, Miss Jessie Emily Norman and Edward Almy Breed, both of Norwich both of Norwich. Miss Eleanor Clark was an over-Sunday guest of Miss Marian Kent of

Postmistress Elizabeth H. Hexie was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Sullivan of Norwich. Mrs. Themas Burton and son, Rob-ert, left Saturday for Newark, N. J. William Clark and mother, Mrs. Charles Clark, have returned from a visit to relatives at Shannock, R. I.

# MOHEGAN

#### Visitors During the Week-Peopl Who Have Been Away.

Charles Barker and son, Wal ter, of Higganum, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bennett. Irs. C. N. Bennett. Edward O'Brien has been in Wor cester, Mass., attending the auction of Ayrshire cattle.

Mrs. Lillian Strickland and son, of

New London, were in that place the first of the Week. Miss Gladys Quidgeon of New Lendon spent Sunday in this place. Mrs. Dolbeare, Mrs. Avery and Mrs. Skeesuck were in New London Satur-

Burrill H. Fielding of New Londo was in this place Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Bennett and Mrs.
Nordruft were guests of Mrs. Sanders in Norwich last week.

E. O. Browning is in Packerville visiting his daughter, Evelyn Browning.

### PENDLETON HILL

Rev. Mr. Scoville of Bridgeport Declines Call-Notes. Clifford Thempson spent last wee

with his uncie, C. D. Bahcock, of Jew marched through the village Monday ett City. Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson has been in Niantic, called there by the illness of her brother-in-law. Harlan Brown. Mrs. Asher Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mitchell and son of Wester'y passed Sunday at M. O. Chapman's the former home of Mrs. Chapman are Mrs. Mitchell.

again supplied the pulpit on Sunday, but has declined the call to become pastor of the church.

Mrs. Beriha Brooks of Jewett City is a visitor at her mothers', Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson's.

Miss Christine Palmer is at her home here from East Grzenwich, R. I. where she passed the winter.

The Rev. Mr. Scoville of Bridgeport

#### GALES FERRY

Varied Programme on Children's Day
-Thomas Latham Completes 99
Terms as Teacher.

The Children's Hour was given by the children of the Gales Ferry M. E. Sunday school on Sunday morning at 19.45 o'clock. The children assisting with the programme, which was interspersed with songs by the school, were: Madeline Birch, Richard and Harry Allyn, Ruth Lawson, Elizabeth Graves, 'Mary Birch, Elsie McGuire, Louise Benn. Annie Thompson, Mary Silvia, Mildred Voorhees, Louisa de Rose, Lizzie Main, Doris Main, Natalie Benn, Wilfred Pierce, Waiter Mather, Alton Stoddard, Morris Main, Nettie Hoffman. Several members of the school also participated in the drill with the Flags of the Nations as the collection was taken.

Mrs. John Griswold and Mrs. E. H. Tracy of New London visited their uncle, Noyes B. Allen, recently.

J. P. Satterlee, who has been spending the winter and spring in the Pacific states, returned to the village on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luzerne Spalding of Norwich opened their summer home on the Bluff last week.

Henry C. Beckwith of New London visited Albertus Maynard of Allyn's Point on Friday.

Has Taught 99 Terms.

Thomas Latham completed his 99th

Point on Friday.

Has Taught 99 Terms.

Thomas Latham completed his 99th term of service in the public schools of New London county last week. Mr. Latham has a record which but few can equal, having begun his duties as teacher in the Geer district of Ledyard in 1858. Following is a record of the district in which he has taught and the number of terms of service in each:

Ledyard-Gees district, one term; Long Cove, five teams.
Groten—Pleasant Valley, 12 terms:
Poquonec Bridge, six terms
Montville—Uncasville, 45 terms.
Ledyard—Stoddard district, one
term: Gales Ferry, 14 terms; Gallup,

term; Gaies Ferry, 14 terms, Gailup, three; Lester, 12.

In addition to his duties in the public schools, the longest term of service being 16 years spent at the Uncasville school, Mr. Latham has instructed many private pupils.

At Northfield Commencement. Dudley C. Perkins, who was a week end visitor at East Northfield, Mass.,

at the Northfield seminary, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. Frederick Richards of Norwich visited her sister, Miss Amy Satterlee, on Wednesday afternoon.

Herbert Martin, a student at Rollins college, Winter Park, Fla., joined his mother, Mrs. James Martin, of Meriden, at their cottage on the Bluff Wednesday.

Allyn's Point Meeting.

Allyn's Point Meeting. The Tuesday evening prayer service in the Allyn's Point district was held at the home of Mrs. Hannah Lewis at the ho this week.

Mite Boxes Held \$12.

The members of the Woman's Home Missionary society, with several guests, were entertained by Miss Amy B. Satterlee of Norwich at her home at the Ferry Wednesday afternoon. Our Spanish Work on the Mainland was the subject considered during the literary hour. A paper on The Religion of New Mexico was given by Sister Emma Harrison. Readings on the topic were also given by Miss Kate B. Colver, Mrs. Thomas Latham and Miss Laura Perkins. A business session followed the study hour, and as this was the last meeting of the season the annual opening of the mite boxes was held. Over \$12 was realized from the boxes, the largest amount received from one box being about \$5. A social hour with refreshments was enjoyed at the close, each guest being presented a fan as a souvenir of the meeting. Mite Boxes Held \$12.

East, Northfield, Mass., during commencement week at Northfield seminary, returned Wednesday afternoon. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Jennie Perkins, a graduate of the seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wulf of Norwich arrived at their cottage on the Mrs. R. D. Fitzmaurice of New Heven also opened her cottage.

NIANTIC Baptist Friendly Society Holds Social -Rexbury Stone for Quincy-Greve

The Woman's Friendly society of the Baptist churca held a social and served a supper Wednesday evening at the church parlors. There was a large attendance and a good sum was real-ized for the church society. Loval fishermen shipped several barreis or fish to New York first of the week. The pupils of the Niantic school are

# rehearsing at Union hall for the grad-

Busy at Quarries. Large quantities of stone are being taken from the Roxbury quarries daily and shipped to Quincy, Mass.

The pavilion has opened for the season in charge of Will Derman.

Some improvement is neticed in the condition of Fred Partrie.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hills of Hartford Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hills of Hartford opened their cottage in Center street Thursday for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bell left Wednesday for Springfield, Mass., where they will visit till Monday.

Miss Jessie A. Willey has been visiting her sister, Miss Katie J. Willey, in Norwich. in Norwich

in Norwich.

H. B. Goodenough of Broadway has purchased the Herbert S. Morse cottage in Main street.

Mrs. Ralph Saunders and daughter, Mrs. Clark, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived at the grove Tuesday.

Captain and Mrs. W. H. Barber have opened their cottage, the Mohawk, in Orchard street.

Conductor W. J. Manwaring of the New Haven road made a short visit Conductor W. J. Manwaring of the New Haven road made a short visit here Tuesday, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Latham Manwaring, in South street.

Frank A. Asten arrived at the Greve Monday for an indefinite stay.

Harry Lee of New London spent Sunday at the Lee cottage in Broadway. He made the trip in his car.

Mrs. Clarence Glass and children, of New London are at the Sherman cottage in High street.

Thomas Washburn and the Misses

Thomas Washburn and the Misses Edith and Florence Washburn of Nor-wich are at the Washburn cottage in Center street for the summer.

### MONTVILLE

Paten-Johnson Marriage-Rev. George C. Chappell to Supply at Deep River. The Baraca fife and drum corps

Robert Paten and Mary B. Johnson, both of Montville, were married by Rev. G. C. Chappell, Wednesday eve-ning, at the bride's home in Mont-ville Center. ville Center.

A large congregation worshipped in the Chesterfield Saptist church last Sunday afternoon, June 11. The music was especially fine.

Rev. and Mrs. George C. Chappell were guests Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chappell of Chester, Conn.

Graduating Exercises. The araduation exercises of Palm-

#### er Memorial school were held Wednesday evening. Miss Elsie Manchester has returned from a visit in New York.

Rev. George C. Chappell, pastor of the Union Baptist church, will be the supply of the First Baptist church of Deep River, the 9th, 16th, and 23d of July.

#### UNCASVILLE

American Council Organizes Orches-ters—Odd Fellows' Memorial Sunday —Accident—Children's Day Observed.

American council. O. U. A. M., at its meeting Thursday evening formed an orchestra from among its members. The first practice taking place that evening after business was transacted. The members are A. Bonville plano, John Carlton violin, Orville V. Walden flute, Henry Johnson. It is expected that other members of the council will join later.

The third degree was worked on a class of candidates after which a fine supper was served by Orville C. Walden.

den.

Mrs. Clarence Avery of South Windham was a week end visitor at the home of her parents.

Mrs. John H. Gidley of Niantic, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Dodds, returned home Satured.

At the entertsinment of the Mont-ville Center Ladies' Aid society, given in Robertson's hall, \$36.85 was netted from the entertainment and sale of lice cream and cake. Mrs. Robert Thompson, after a week spent with friends in Pequot, return-en to Willimantic Wednesday after-

Miss Eunice Holmes and Rev. Mr. Fogg of Chesterfield were visiting relatives in town Friday.

Melvin H. Finba is entertaining his father from New York states.

Lester Shaffer of Baltic was the guest of his brother Raiph Shaffer

I. O. O. F. Memorial Sunday. Thames lodge, I. O. O. F., observed Sunday as Memorial day. The lodge gathered at the lodge rooms at 9.15 a. m. and marched to Comstock cemetery, many members joining along the way. The graves of the dead members were decorated with flowers. Miss Marion Lynch is to be valedictorian at the graduating exercises of Palmer Memorial school, held Wednesday evening.

evening.

The class reception will be held on Thursday evening and school picnic on Priday. Mrs. Jared Bolles is entertaining Mrs. Mary Durand of New London. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Curtin have returned from their wedding trip and will live in one of Mr. Lathrop's

Cut en Stone Steps. G. Turner Leomis, while going up the stone steps of his home, missed the step, falling, striking on the stone which cut and bruised his leg badly. Mr. Loomis is able to get about to his business, but is very lame and there is danger of blood poisoning.

Fred Simpson substituted two days on the rural route during the absence of F. B. Toeker.

Miss May Darrow was an over-Sunday guest of New London relatives.

Services were conducted in the Chesterfield church Sunday afternoon, a number from Palmertown attending.

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T. B. Mitchell and Ivan Chapman
have takes their sloop, recently purchased, to New London, where a new
engine will be put in.
The Children's day exercises were
largely attended.

Mill Addition Completed. Perry Bros have completed the addition to the Thames Dye and Bleaching company's mill at Bartletts. The new part of the mill was ready to The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church in the Chesterfield section have presented their newly ap-pointed pastor. Rev. Elmer Gallup,

with a horse. Funeral of Mrs. Tooker. The Rev. J. H. Aldrich, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, conduct ed the funeral services of Mrs. Will lam B. Tooker Tuesday afternoon, Burial was in the family plot beside her husband, who died about eighteen

months ago.

LISBON Pleasing Programme Carried Out of Children's Day-Rev. C. H. Ricketts to Preach at Conference.

Newent church with an illustrated ser-mon by the pastor, especially for the mon by the pastor, especially for the children, from Matt. 5: 14-16. At the usual Sunday school hour a concert was given by the school, the programme being as follows: Organ prelude; song, Mighty Army of the Young, choir; prayer by Mr. Fuller; recitation, Welcome, Edna Kendall; song, True Hearted, Whele Hearted, school; recitation, What Can I Do? Lawrence Davis, Royal Kennedy, Raiph Fitch: responsive scripture reading:

The local conference will meet with the church at Newent Wednesday. Rev. C. H Ricketts of Greenville will preach the sermen, and following the collation and social hour the topic for discussion will be. The work of the church

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Personal Mention.

Mrs. Charles Kinne had as her guests a few days this week her sister. Mrs. Jay E. Traver, and little sen, Jay, of East Douglass, Mass. Mr. Traver was with them over Sunday.

Mr, and Mrs. Irving Bushnell and two children, of Norwich, were at Mrs. Jane Bushnell's Sunday.

Malcolm Wibberley of Yale Scientific school is at home for the summer.

Miss Evelyn Comstock; Countless Voices, Marion Lynch; Rainbow Colors, by seven girls; The Sunday School, A Living Garden, by Supt. J. C. Fellowes; collection for the Congregational Sunday song. God Be With You Till We Meet Again; benediction by Rev. Mr. Arnold.

Committee Meeting.

There was a committee meeting of some of the members of the Ladies' Social union in the chapel Monday afternoon to make plans for a strawberry Mer.
Mrs. Phebe Browne returned home festival.
Sunday from a visit of several days
with her son, Dr. W. T. Browne, in parsonage.

### . YAWBUX VALLEY

parsonage Wednesday afternoon

The Ladies' Aid society met at the

Mrs. C. P. Miner was at Westerly Saturday.

Mrs. George F. Coates and Mrs. Ed-mund Burdick were callers at the home of G. D. Coates Sunday after-

Mrs. George Stewart and son were recent visitors at Westerly. Mrs. Yeu Lew has been entertain-ing friends from Brooklyn the past Week. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Thompson were guests Sunday of relatives.
Miss Julia Askilsen has been spending several days in New York

#### SALEM

Exercises of Children's Day-Molest Sheep—Pastor to Farewell Sermon Sunday.

special exercises last Sunday evening. The church was prettily decorated with daisies and cut flowers. The following programme in charge of the superintendent, Mrs. F. R. Bailey, was we carried out: Opening, Song of Praise by the church choir, with Mrs. Corn Hanney at the organ; responsive reading, Isalah 35, led by the assistant superintendent, Howard A. Rix, praye by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Cogswell: song by the funior class, led by Mis. Kittle Ray, Each One in His Own Small Way; A Welcome to Children, Welcome to the Cradle Roll, Miss Ruth Murray; recitation, The Children, Welcome to the Cradle Roll, Miss Ruth Murray; recitation, The Children, King, Master Fleyd Bailey; song by the junior classes, led by Miss Kittle Ray, Love's Message; recitation. Because He Loves US So, Miss Susan Miner; recitation, Such a Sunsay Day Miss Catherine Hanney; reading, The Little Wild White Rose, Miss Kittle Ray; class exercise, The Acorn Club Henry Darling, LeRoy Bailey, Clyde Roy, Charles Miner, Floyd Baley and Lawrence Spencer; song, Praise the King, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Rosers; recitation, A Happy Violet, Miss Violet Rogers; and Miss Helen Rogers; Bible recitations, class of the Royal Sons; exercise, Heipers Athree junior classes; address by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Cogswell; recitation by the church choir; benediction by the pastor, and Mrs. W. Russell Baird were

he pastor. Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell Baird were in town in their automobile last day.

Mrs. M. R. Siegfried was a Sunday visitor at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. Charles S. Ray, and attended morning service at the Congregations!

Dogs have again molested the flocks of sheep owned by Edwin Harris, Na-thaniel Clark and Winfield Hanney and injured the flocks to the amount

Close of School.

Miss Eva M. Standish returned to her home in Westchester last Easterday for the summer vacation, school having closed in the Central district last Thursday. When the school bell rang on Thutsday morning and the children entered the school room they were much pleased to find that a pretty gift, bananas and peanuts had been placed on each desk by the teacher. Miss Eva M. Standish, who received a turn gifts from her pupils.

School closed this week in the White Birch district.

John Leffingwell and Miss Ida Chapel of Leffingwell were Sunday visitors in town. Close of School.

Mesers. Jones and Gay of New London spent Sunday at the Jones cot don spent Sunday at the Jones contage.

Fitch Crandall and Professor Brubeck of New London were in town Saturday.

Mrs. William B. Kingsley and her daughter Minrae are visiting Mys. Kingsley's sister in Fort Lee, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Church and Miss Lila Chapman of Mentville and Mrs. Charles B. Tinker of New London were recent guests of Mrs. Com-Hapney.

don were recent guests of Mrs. Core
Hanney.

Mrs. Susie Rogers has returned from
North Plain, where she has been earing for her sister, Mrs. William Sissen,
who is now convelescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moran and son.
Walter Gordon, of Willimantic, have
been visiting at the home of Ambrook
Darling.

Social Evening Spent.

Social Evening Spent. Mr. and Mrs. William Maynard en-tertained a small party of friends at their home on Monday evening. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Jennie Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Regers and little daughter Helen were in Nerwich Saturday.

A strawberry festival was given by the Salem grange in Grange hall on Thursday evening. Rev. J. S. Conswell will preach his farewell sermen tomorrow morning, Sunday, June 18, taking for his theme The True Office of the Christian Church in a Republic. Text, I Timothy

OAKDALE.

Varied and Attractive Programme Carried Out on Children's Day. Rev. H. T. Arnold of Norwich eccu-pied the pulpit of the Congregational church on Sunday, presching from Mark 1:8. The C. E. meeting was

Children's Day Exercises. song, True Hearted, Whole Hearted, and school; recitation, What Can I Do? Lawrence Bavis, Rayal Kennedy, Rajph Fitch; responsive scripture reading; recitation, Theoretic Scripture reading Heart, Hattie Bradiaw; recitation, Do You Know Why? Fred Burdiet, Teddy Kendall, Alfred Kennedy; carol, Shine for Jesus; exercise, Buttercups, Daisies and Clover, Grace Smith, Beatrice Kendall, Clara Hyde, Ruth Kennedy; Lázzle Budiet. Beatrice Read; reading, Because He Loves Us So, Nellie Mell; recitation, One by One, Ruth Kennedy; seng, Walking With Jesus, courteen boys with conquest flags; recitation, The Happy Violet, Beatrice Kendall; effering; carol, Bratice Ke Children's day exercises were held in the chapel at 4 o'clock p. fn. The

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### GRISWOLD

Second District School Meeting Elect George Lapeint Committee.

Mr and Mrs. George Geer of Baltic were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norman.

G. Norman.

Mrs. Andrew Chesebro visited her sister an Sterling Hill last Saturday.

Miss Susie Morgan visited relatives in Jewett City last week.

The electors of the Second school district held their school meeting on Wednesday evening. George Laseint was elected district committee and Rev. C. L. French clerk and treasurer.

The Edmond brothers are visiting their brother in Waterbury.